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PREVIOUSLY



ROLL CALL



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG

The Blue Blur.
Fastest thing alive.



VECTOR THE CROCODILE

Rockin' Lead Detective.
Chaotix Detective Agency.



ESPIO THE CHAMELEON

Ninja Investigator.
Chaotix Detective Agency.



CHARMY BEE

Young Hero.
Chaotix Detective Agency.

CHAOTIX
DETECTIVE
AGENCY,
SEASIDE CITY.

...AND
SONIC IS
INFECTED TOO?
SHEESH.
THANKS FOR
THE INTEL,
TAILS.

THAT
SOUNDED
SERIOUS.
WHAT'S THE
SITUATION?

DETAILS ARE
SKETCHY, BUT
IT SOUNDS LIKE
EGGMAN IS BACK,
AND HE'S USING
SOME KIND OF GOO
TO TURN FOLKS
INTO ZOMBIE-
ROBOTS.

SONIC GOT
INFECTED BY
ONE OF THESE
"ZOMBOTS" AND
HAS TO STAY ON
THE MOVE TO KEEP
HIS INFECTION
IN CHECK.

THAT
SOUNDS
SPOOKY! ARE
THEY COMING
FOR US?

WE
CAN'T RULE
OUT THE
POSSIBILITY
OF—

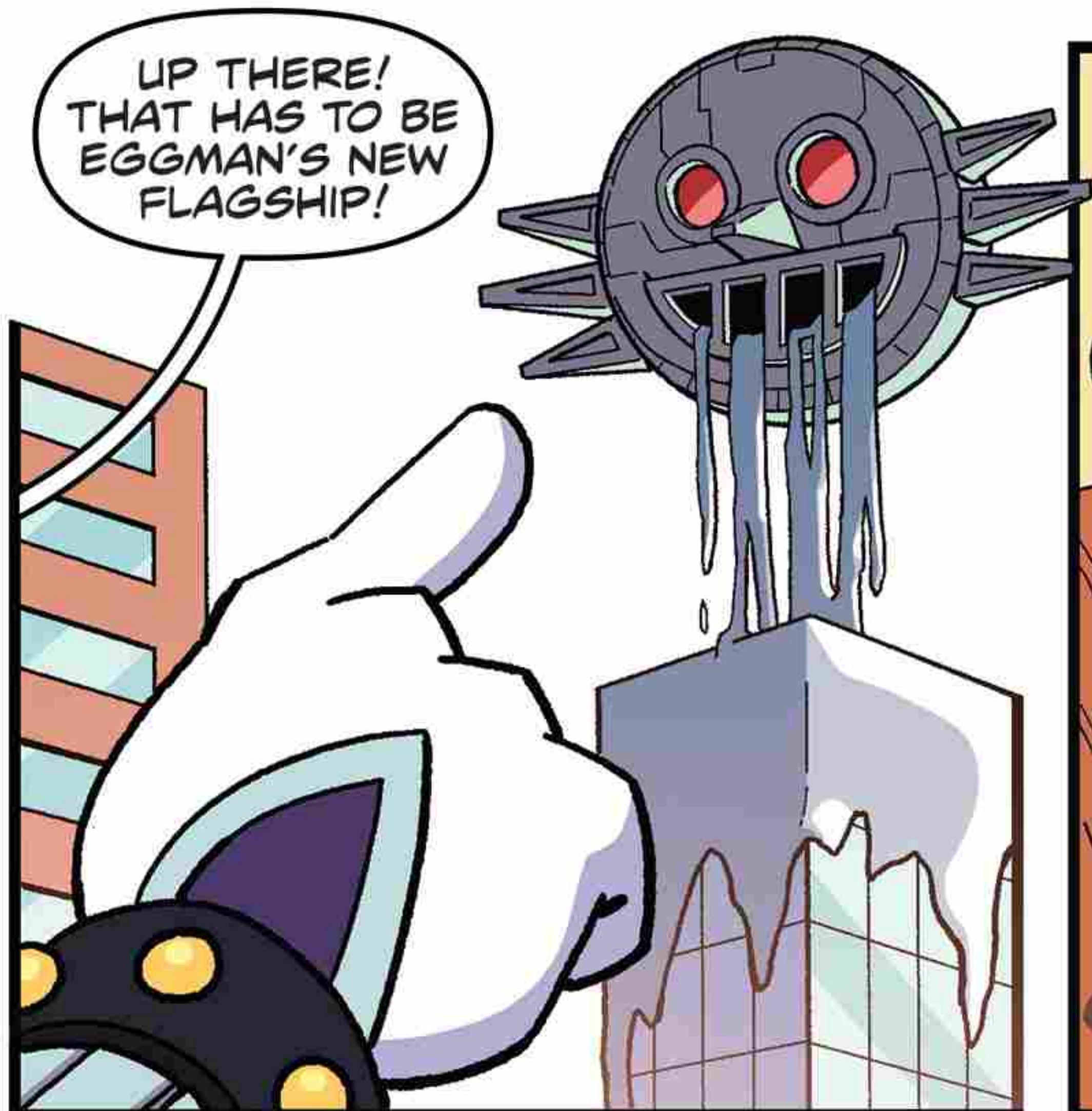
THE
WORLD'S A
BIG PLACE. I'M
SURE WE'RE
FINE.

WHAT WE
NEED TO WORRY
ABOUT IS OUR NEXT
CLIENT, WHO COULD
STEP THROUGH
THAT DOOR ANY
SECOND!



CRASH





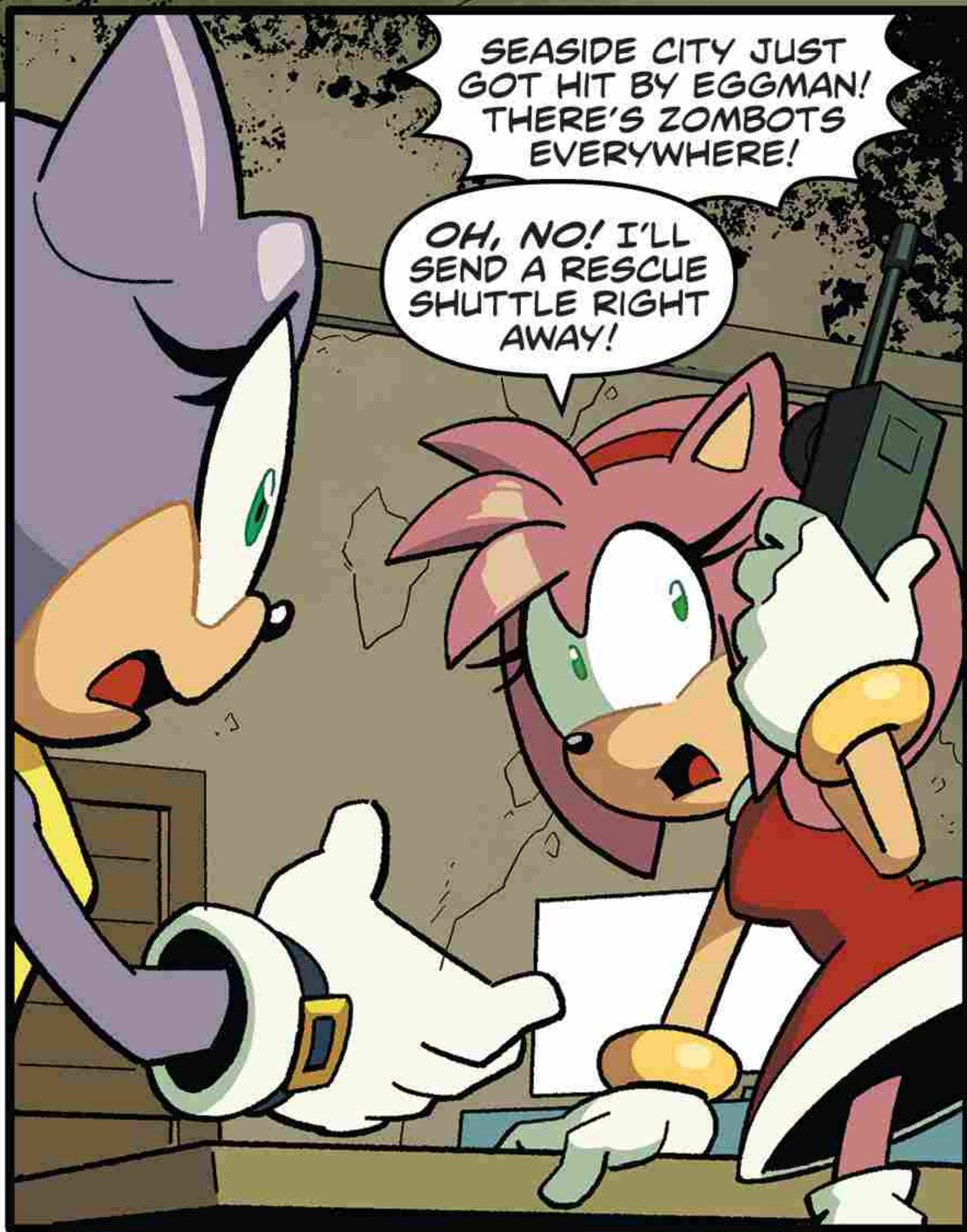


RESTORATION HQ.

SO MUCH PAPERWORK... WHY DID I AGREE TO THIS...?

MISS ROSE? AN URGENT CALL FOR YOU FROM VECTOR.

OH, NOW WHAT...?



SEASIDE CITY JUST GOT HIT BY EGGMAN! THERE'S ZOMBOTS EVERYWHERE!

OH, NO! I'LL SEND A RESCUE SHUTTLE RIGHT AWAY!



WE NEED BACK-UP! CAN YOU SEND SONIC? ANYONE?

I'LL PUT OUT A CALL TO EVERYONE IN THE AREA. HOPEFULLY SONIC WILL HEAR, OR SOMEONE WILL SEE HIM.

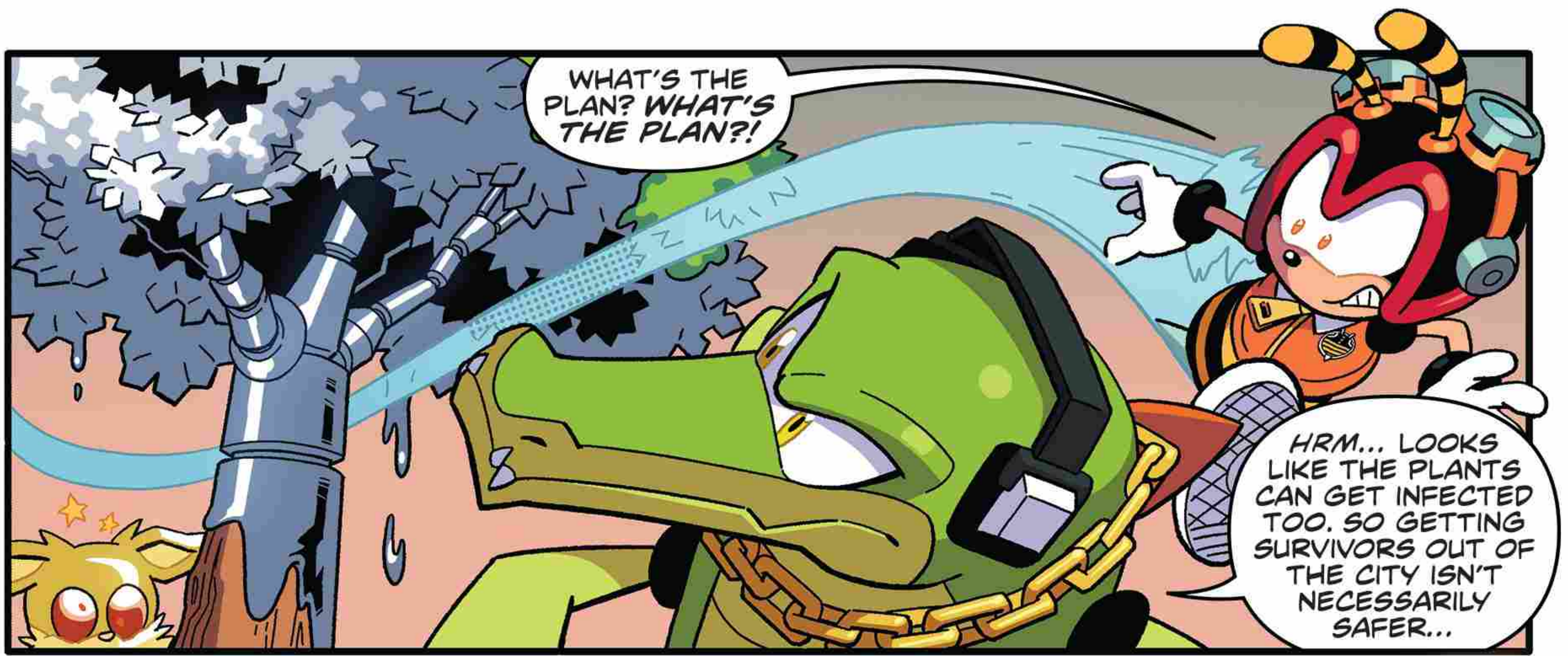
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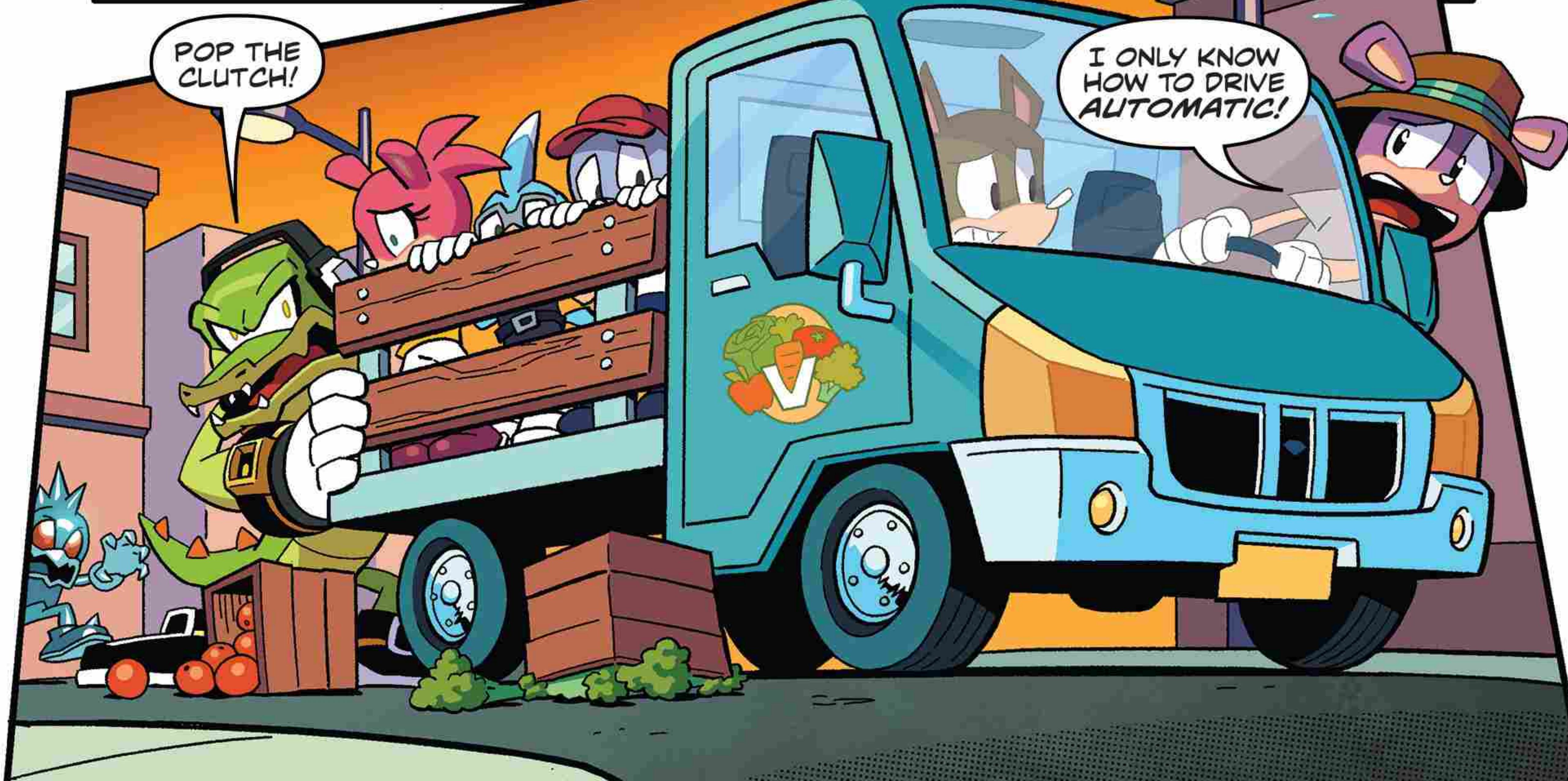


WELL?

HELP'S ON THE WAY, BUT WHO KNOWS HOW MUCH OR HOW SOON.

WE'RE ON OUR OWN, BOYS.









I HEARD YOU COULD USE A HAND.

WHAT IS WITH YOU AND THE DRAMATIC TIMING?!



TAILS SAID YOU WERE INFECTED. SHOULD YOU NOT BREATHE ON ME, OR...?

NO, WE'RE FINE AS LONG AS I DON'T TOUCH YOU. THIS WAY I CAN BOP SOME ZOMBOTS BUT...*~SIGH~*



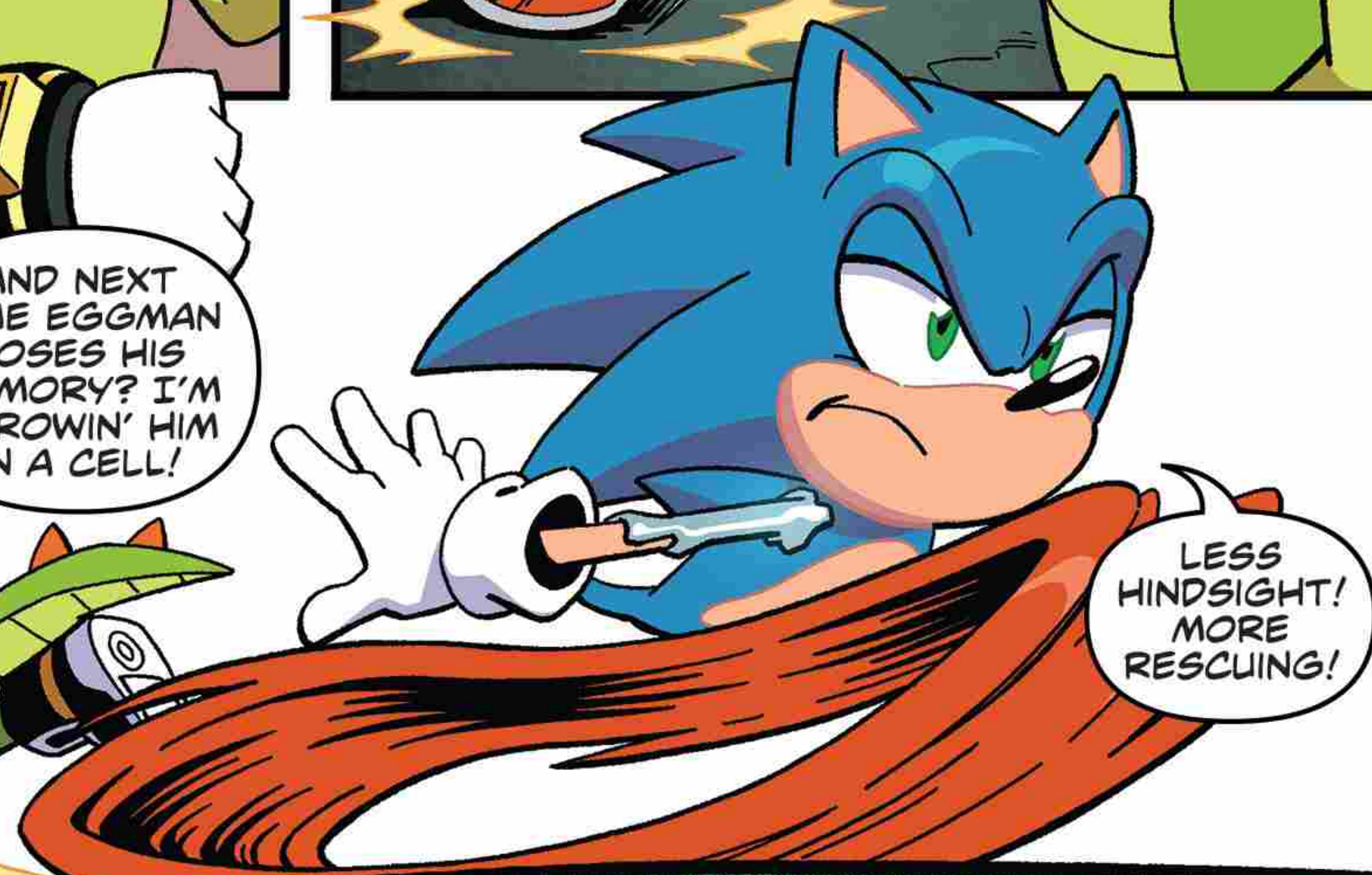
I'VE GOT TO KEEP SPEEDING ALONG TO BURN IT OFF. AND THE MORE ZOMBOTS I HIT, THE FASTER IT SPREADS, *SOOOO...*

YOU'VE GOT TO KEEP MOVING—GOT IT. WE'RE GETTING SURVIVORS DOWN TO THE DOCKS FOR EVAC.

GOOD PLAN. I'LL COVER YOU AS BEST I CAN.



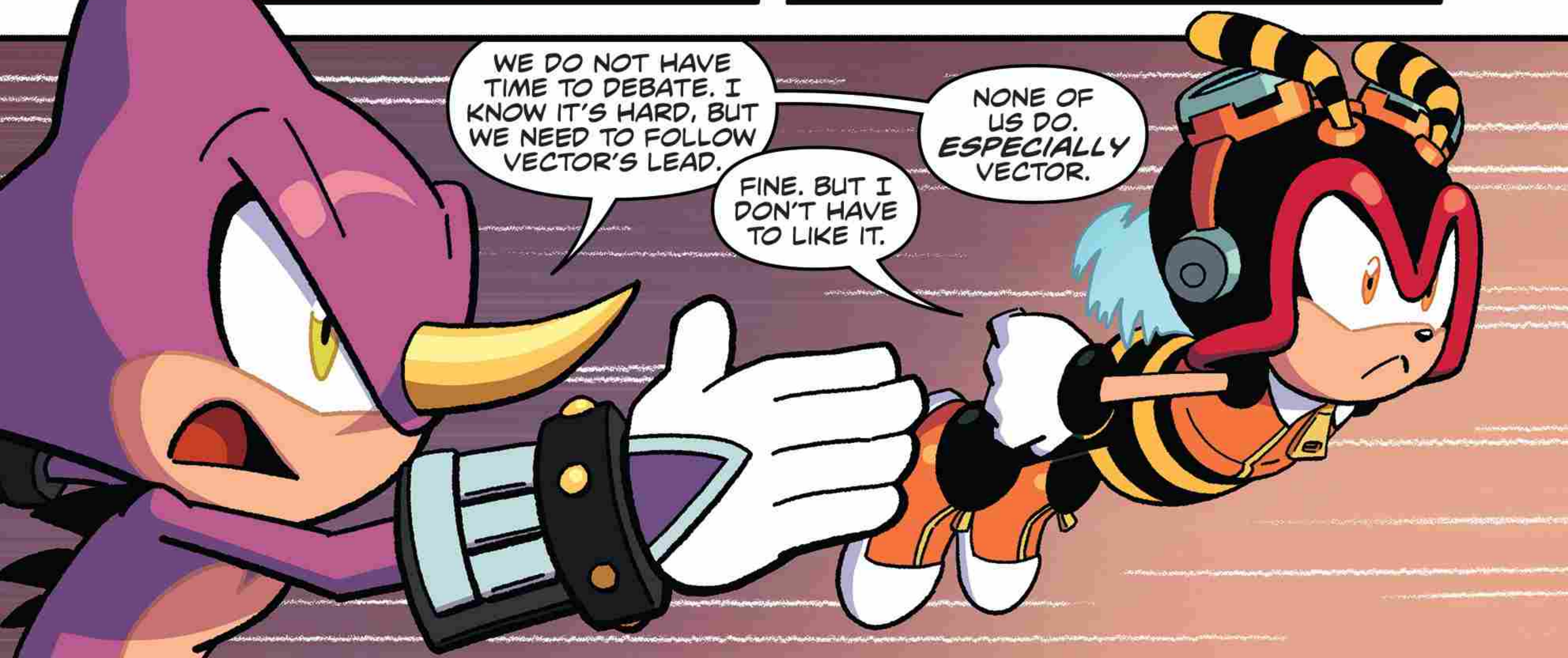
AND NEXT TIME EGGMAN LOSES HIS MEMORY? I'M THROWIN' HIM IN A CELL!



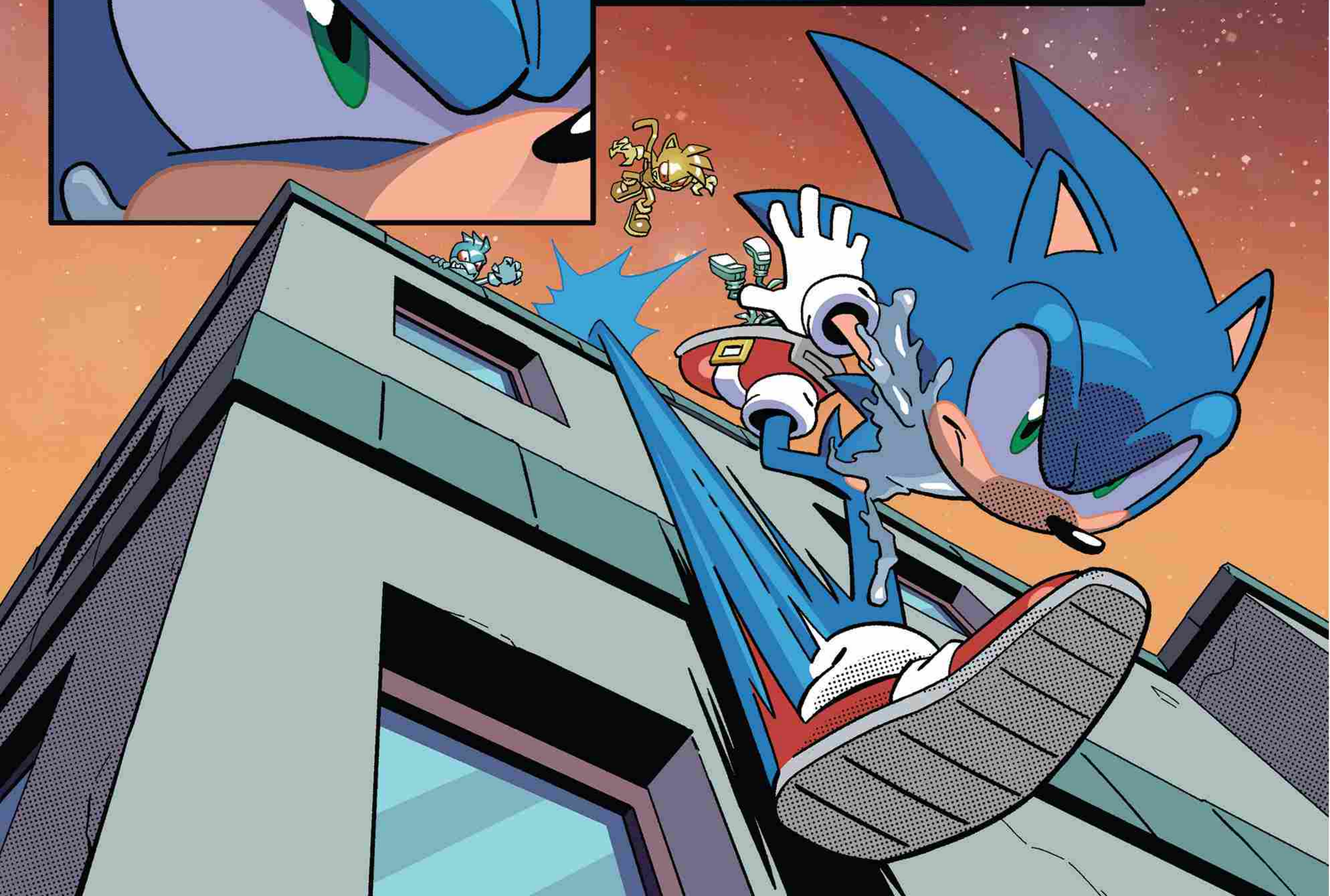
LESS HINDSIGHT! MORE RESCUING!

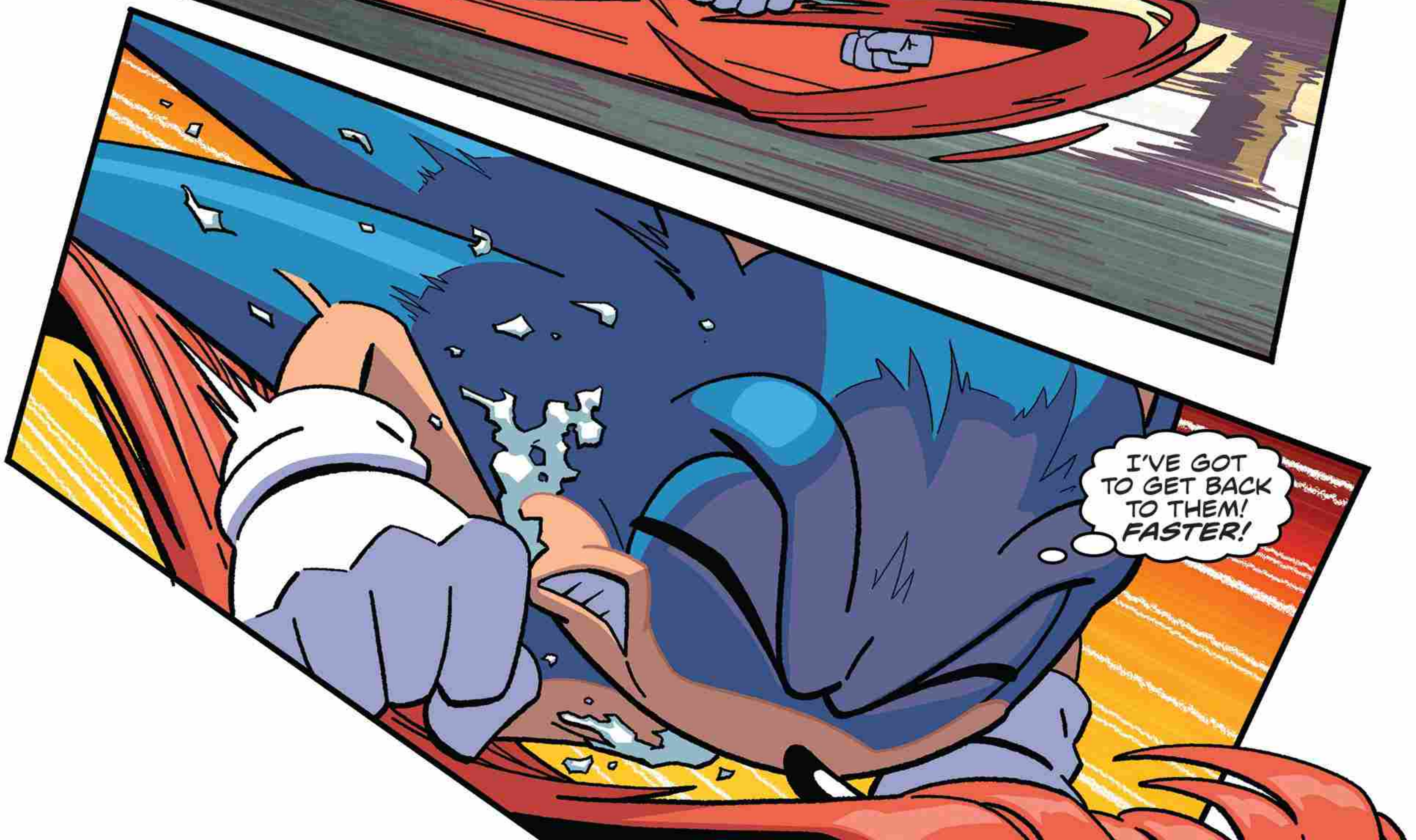
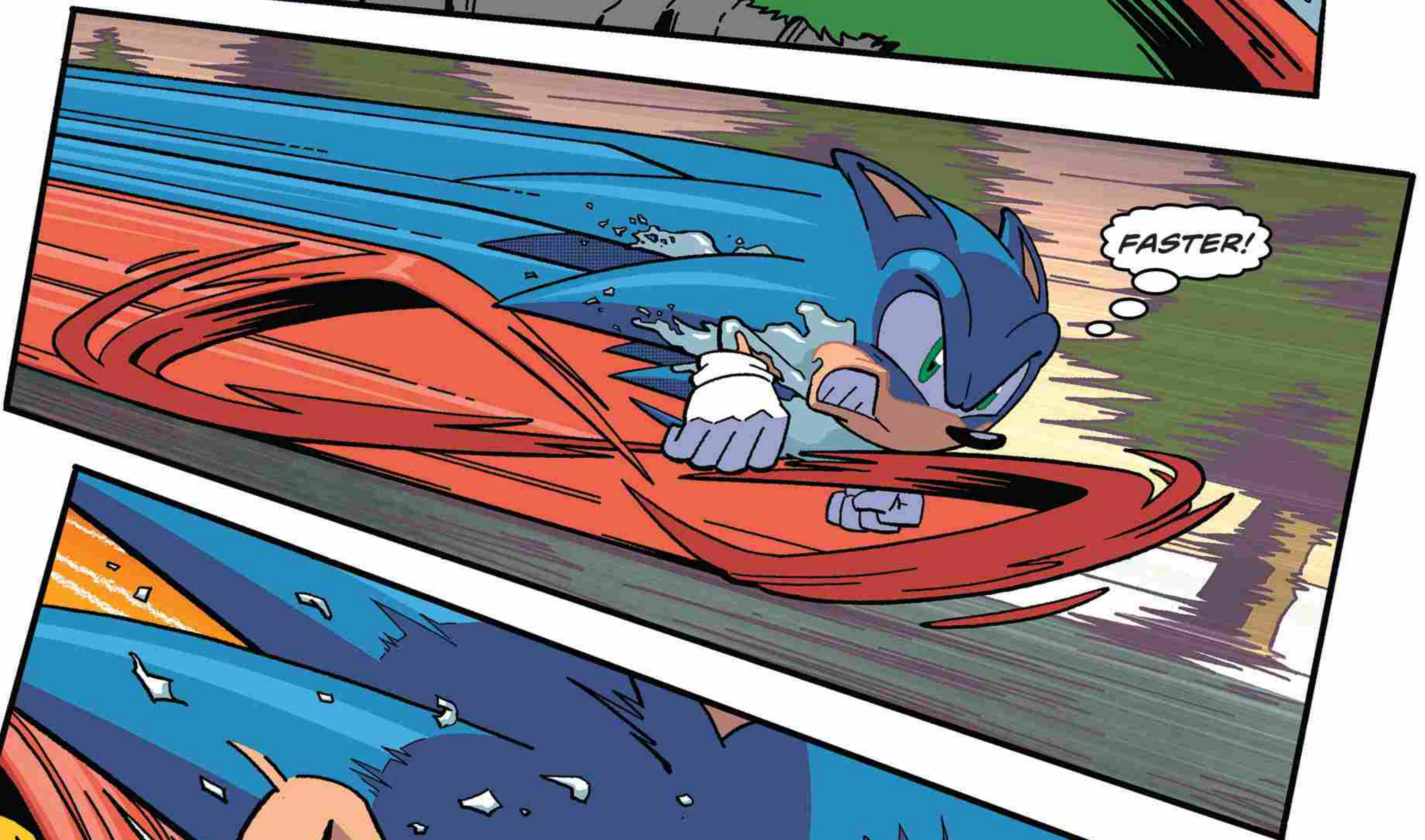
















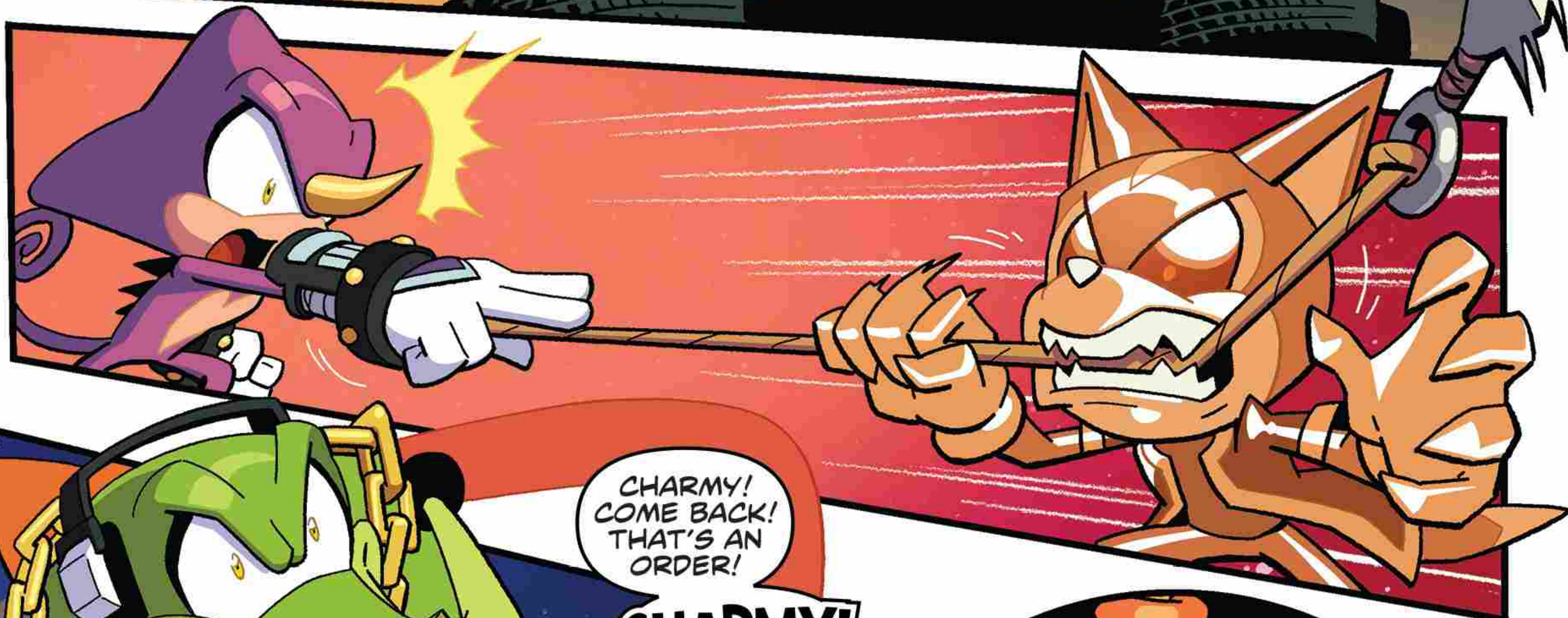
CHARMY!
WHERE DO YOU
THINK YOU'RE
GOING?!

I'M GONNA
SAVE THE ONE
YOU TRAPPED WITH
THE CARS! SHE
DIDN'T CHANGE YET!
WE CAN STILL
HELP HER!



IT'S
TOO LATE!
GET BACK
HERE!

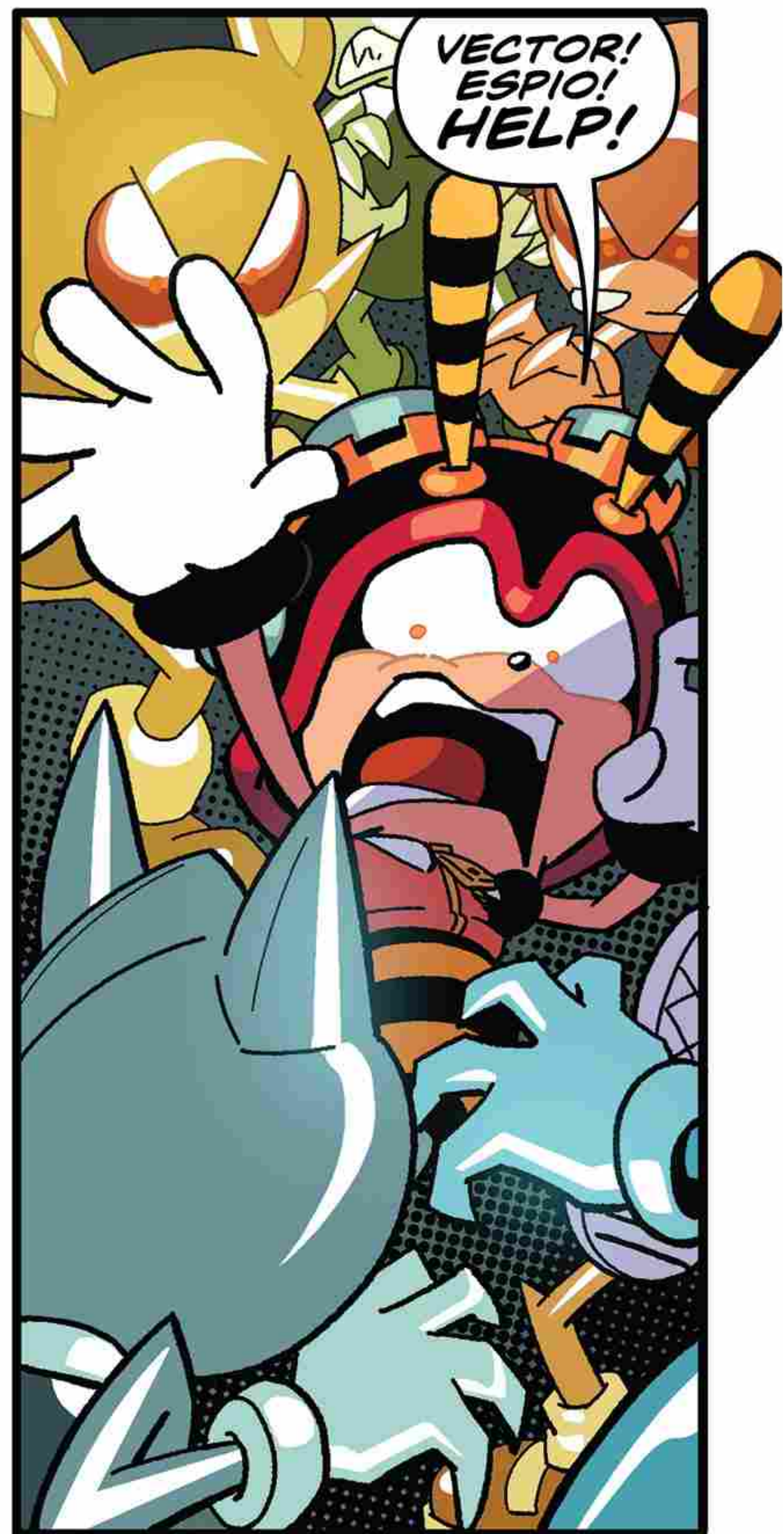
I'VE
GOT
HIM.



CHARMY!
COME BACK!
THAT'S AN
ORDER!

CHARMY!







CHARMY WENT BACK INTO THE CITY! HE HASN'T COME BACK!

AND IF YOU GO, YOU WON'T COME BACK EITHER!



WE'VE GOT A CITY'S WORTH OF ZOMBOTS CLOSING IN. WE HAVE TO GO—NOW!



THEY'RE RIGHT. YOU GUYS GET OUT OF HERE. I'LL SWEEP THE CITY AND LOOK FOR CHARMY.

B-BUT...! A-ALL RIGHT...

"I'LL DO MY
BEST TO
FIND HIM."



NEXT TIME:
SONIC VS.
GEMERL?!

Hey Squad! No letters this month, but as a special treat, enjoy this preview of this summer's Tangle & Whisper mini-series! Don't miss out on this fantastically fun story about some of our favorite characters and their friends.

Meanwhile, even without the Letters Squad, don't forget to send your art and letters to letters@idwpublishing.com, and make sure to mark them: "OKAY TO PRINT!" And join the IDW Sonic Comics Squad on Facebook! We'll see you next issue with the debut of Cream the Rabbit!

Without further ado...

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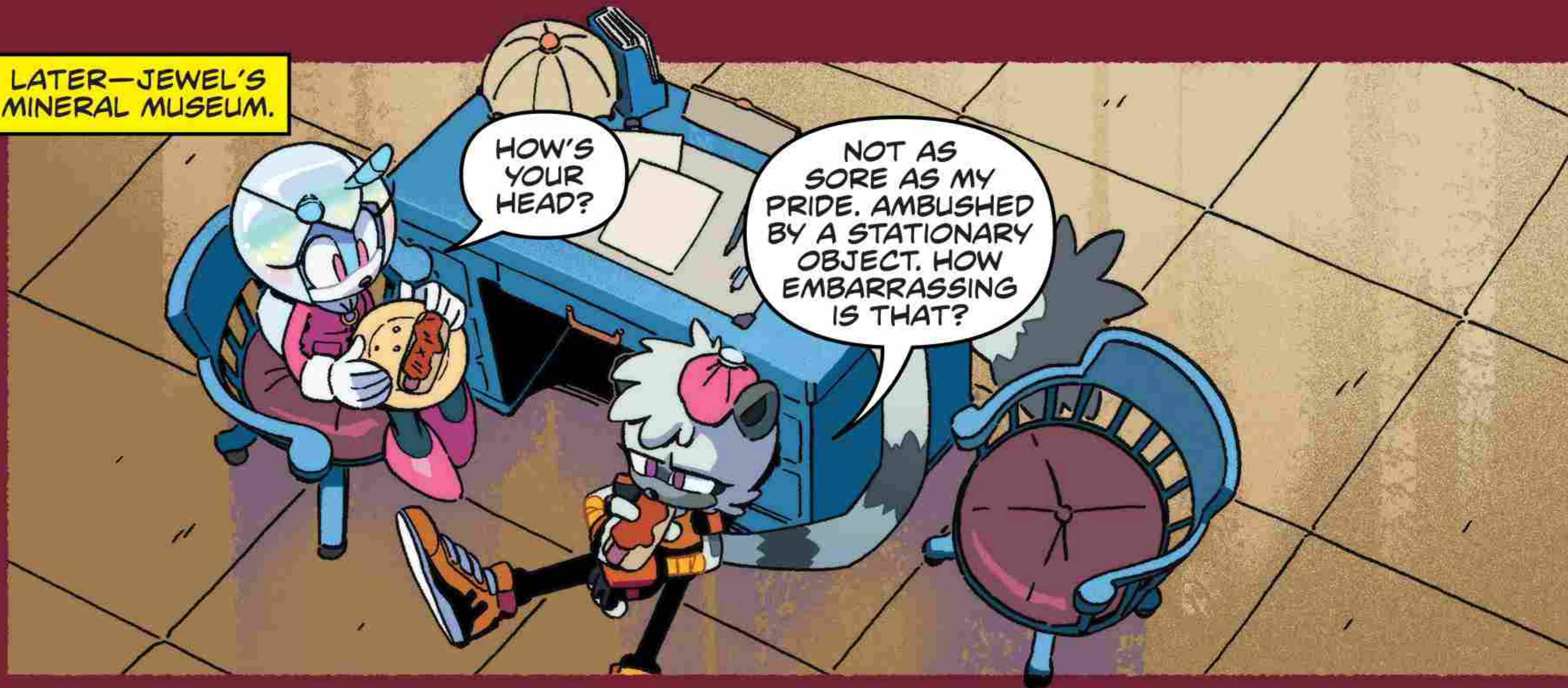
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TANGLE & WHISPER

TANGLE & WHISPER EXCLUSIVE PREVIEW!



LATER—JEWEL'S MINERAL MUSEUM.



HOW'S YOUR HEAD?

NOT AS SORE AS MY PRIDE. AMBUSHED BY A STATIONARY OBJECT. HOW EMBARRASSING IS THAT?

TO BE FAIR, IT WAS HIDING IN FRONT OF A STREET LAMP. CLEARLY IT WAS OUT TO GET YOU.

HA HA
OW HA
HA

SERIOUSLY, THOUGH, WHAT'S GOING ON? YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN... PRECOCIOUS... BUT YOU'VE BEEN BOUNCING OFF THE WALLS LATELY.

LITERALLY AND FIGURATIVELY.

I'M SORRY FOR BEING A PEST, IT'S JUST...

...AFTER EVERYTHING I'VE DONE WITH SONIC, THINGS ARE SO BORING HERE!

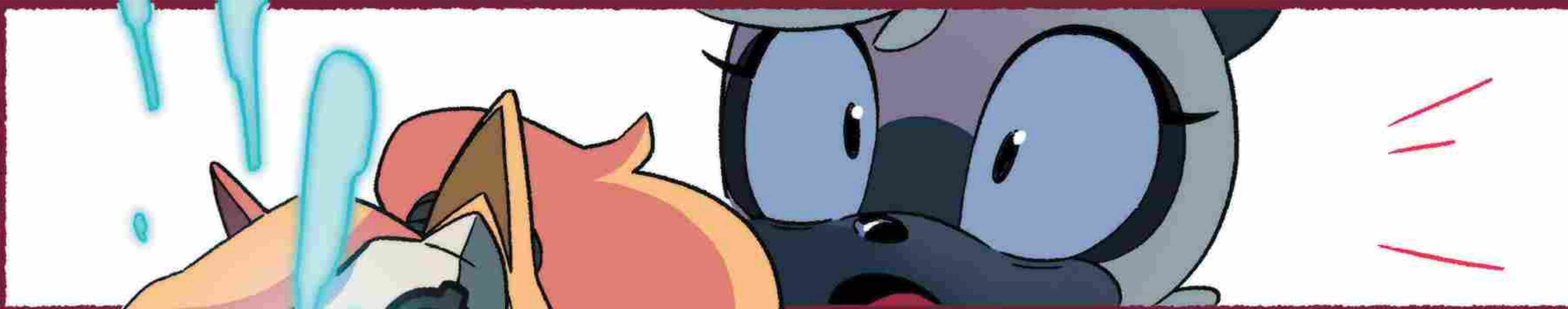
I FOUGHT ROBOT INVASIONS! FLYING BATTLE SHIPS!

I MET A FIERY PRINCESS FROM ANOTHER DIMENSION!

I PULLED THE WINGS OFF A GIANT ROBO-DRAGON!







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MUTANTZZZ MAY
BE MY CURRENT
PASSION, BUT
THERE'ZZZ ALWAYS
ROBOTICS—MY
FIRZZZT LOVE—TO
FALL BACK ON...

CHOMP-
CHOMP

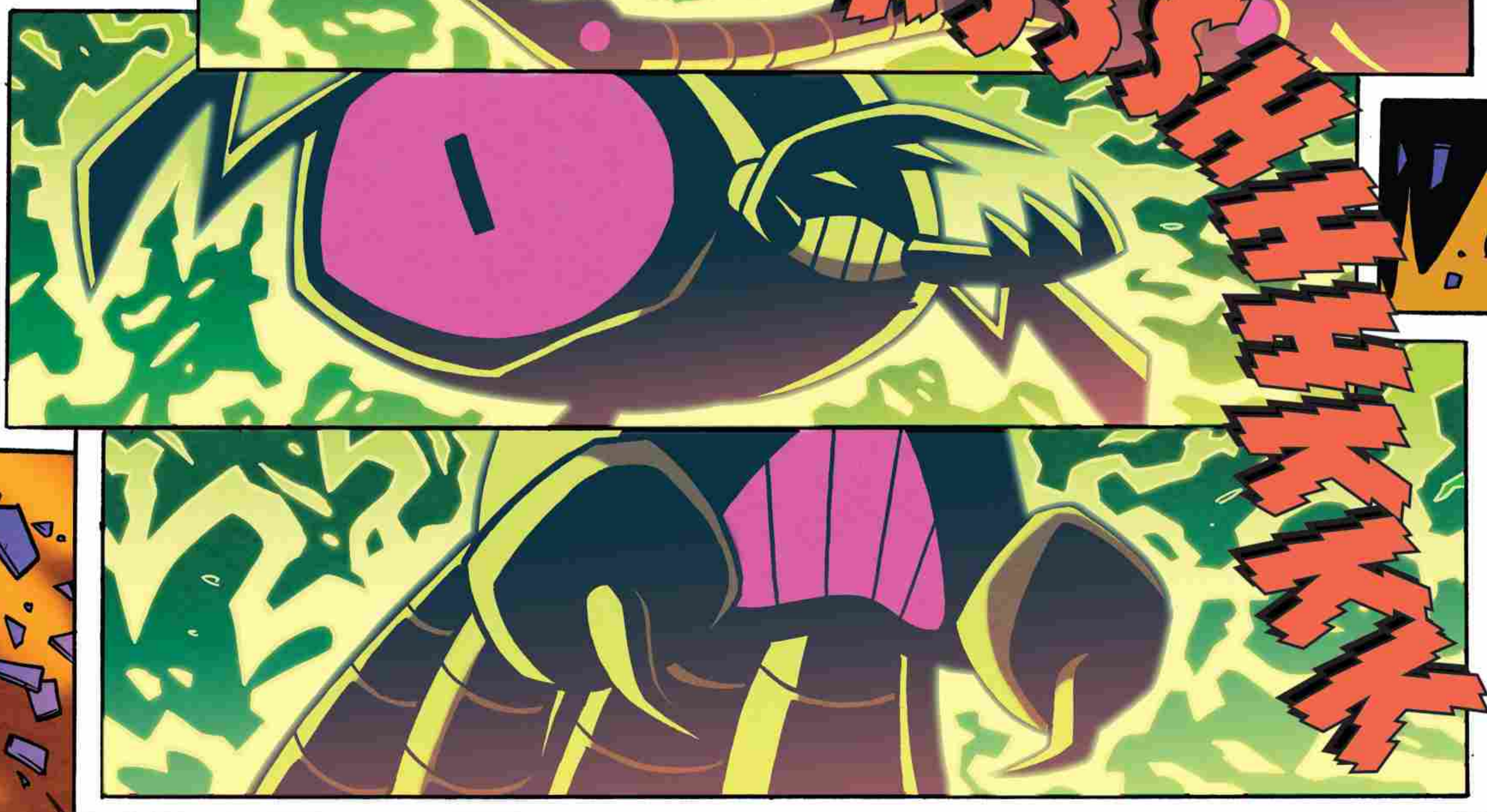
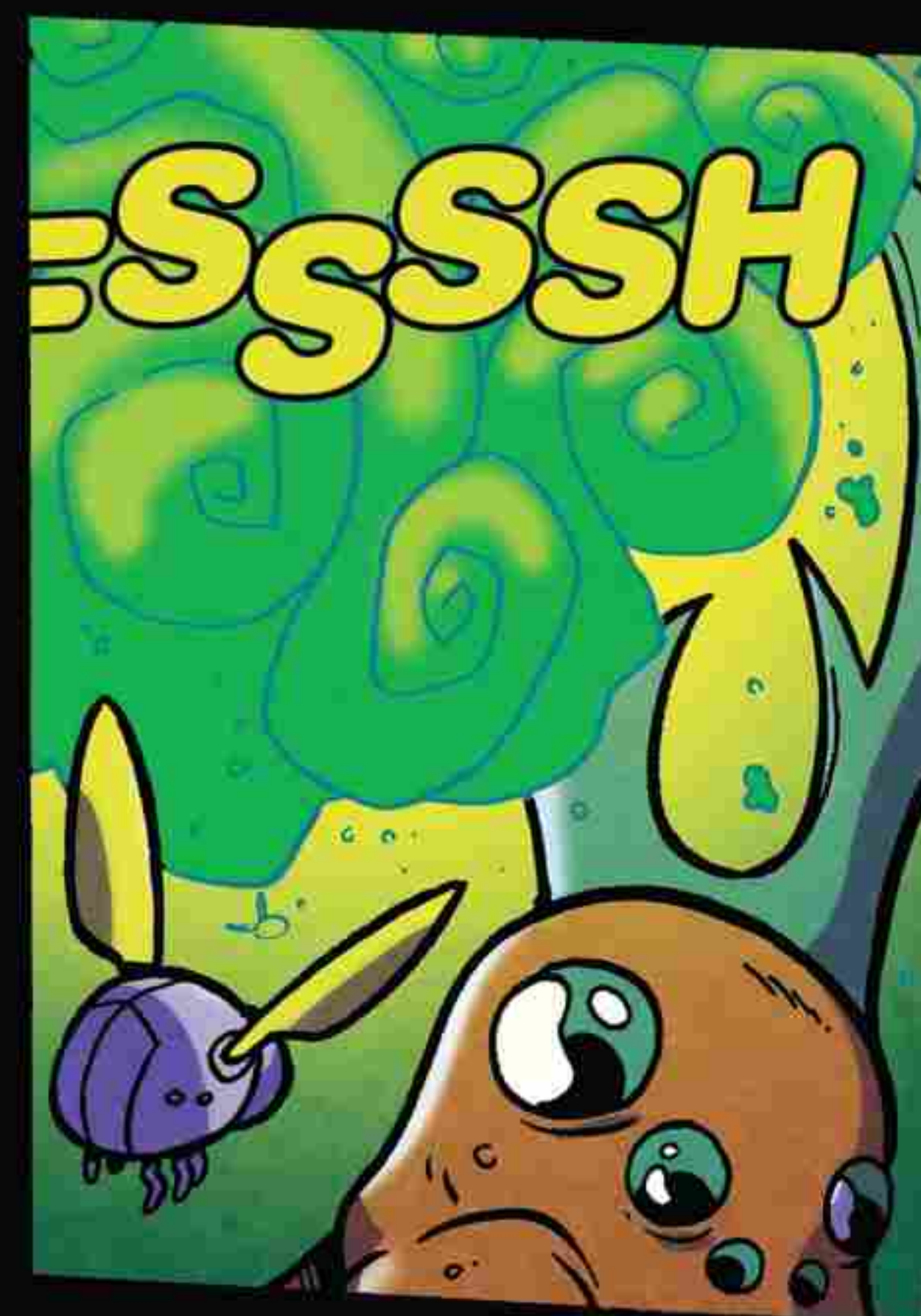
IZZZN'T
THAT RIGHT,
ANTRAX AND
SCUMBUG?

I'VE HAD NO
SUCCEZZZ CONNECTING
WITH THE REZZZT OF
THE FOOT CLAN SINCE
MASTER SHREDDER'ZZZ...
INZZZIDENT, BUT YOU
TWO IDIOTZZZ WERE
EAZZZY TO LURE BACK
TO MY LAB.

SLURP

THOUGH, I
DO DIZZZLIKE
HAVING TO SHARE
MY CHOCOLATE
STASH...

THEZZZE
NANO-BOTZZZ
ARE KEYED TO BOND
TO MUTANT DNA, AND
WILL TRANSFORM YOU—
AND THE REZZZT OF
OUR KIND—INTO MY
MECHANICAL MUTANT
MINIONS!





ANOTHER
PERFECT
EXZZZZPERIMENT!

THIZZ IZZZ A FINE
START, BUT I'LL NEED
MORE SUBJECTS IF I'M
TO BUILD A TRUE ARMY
COMBINING THE BEZZZT
OF BOTH THE MUTANT
AND MECHANICAL
WORLDZZZ.

MY FORMER
ASSOCIATEZZZ
WON'T BE AZZZ EASY
TO CAPTURE AZZZ OUR
CURRENT ROZZZTER,
BUT PERHAPZZZ I CAN
TRY A NEW APPROACH...
PURSUAZZZION,
PERHAPZZZ?
DEZZZEPTION?

OH?

YEZZZ,
THEZZZE
SUBJECTZZZ
SHOULD DO
NIZZELY.
MWAHAHA!

SLASH

STR
AGI
INT
DUR
COMBAT

LEATHERHEAD

STR
AGI
INT

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